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Dear acting SG Powell Richardson

Regarding our meeting of April 19, 2021 in which you was present I am hereby informing you again of my decision to relieve Ms., Marcellia Henry of her responsibilities as acting head of DPE

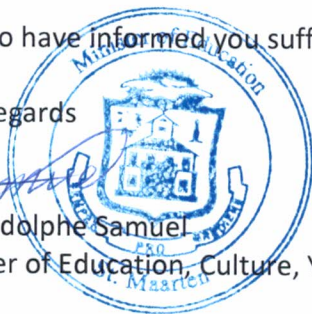
Taking the above-mentioned into consideration, I am informing you that I have appointed Mr. Daison Marks as acting head of DPE.

I, certainty would like thank Ms. Henry for what she has done as acting head of DPE and look forward for her continued cooperation and her assistance for a smooth transfer of the responsibilities of DPE to Mr. Daison Marks.

Hope to have informed you sufficiently

Kind Regards


drs. Rodolphe Samuel
Minister of Education, Culture, Youth, and Sports



To: Rodolphe Samuel | Minister of Education Culture Youth & Sport

Subject: Request for a Meeting

Dear Minister Samuel,

This month will mark a year that you have been in charge of the Ministry of Education, Culture, Youth & Sport. This past year has been a difficult one for everyone and this also rings true for our Ministry. In dealing with the currently experienced pandemic, this Ministry has been at the forefront, and the population of St. Maarten has relied on our ability to produce results in guiding the collective response. As this is the case, coupled with the everyday functioning of the Ministry we have been challenged and we have risen to the occasion in order to satisfy expectations.

Having said the above, we are concerned with the manner in which things are being managed and handled internally. As a collective, we have faced the same types of challenges internally and we would like the opportunity to speak with you as a collective to be able to voice our concerns with the hope that things can be resolved.

In requesting a meeting with you, we would like highlight the following points for discussion:

1. Communication
2. Capacity
3. Management
4. Motivation
5. Working environment

We would like to meet with you as soon as possible and to facilitate this we would appreciate a response to our request within one (1) week. As a team, we look forward to a favorable response and a productive discussion in the interest of the Ministry and by extension, the people of St. Maarten.

Sincerely

MECYS Management team



Jonelle Richardson

